

**Proclamation No. 19-1081
Celebrating the 25th Anniversary of Clinica Tepeyac**

Whereas, Clinica Tepeyac provides compassionate, high quality, culturally responsive health care and preventive health services for the medically underserved; and

Whereas, Clinica Tepeyac respects the inherent dignity of each person; and is committed to an inclusive culture that encourages, supports and celebrates the diversity of its patients and employees; and

Whereas, Clinica Tepeyac provides a full range of preventive, primary, behavioral and oral health care; and

Whereas, Clinica Tepeyac provides employment opportunities in the health care field; and

Whereas, 4800 patients are served annually; and

Whereas, 91% of the patients identify as an ethnic or racial minority; and

Whereas, services to 89% of Clinica's clients are provided in a language other than English; and

Whereas, 83% of patients are below 200% of the Federal Poverty level; and

Whereas, for nearly a quarter of a century Clinica Tepeyac has provided affordable, accessible and culturally responsive health care to the most vulnerable residents; and


Whereas, the annual Fiesta on the Plaza will celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Clinica Tepeyac on October 26, 2019.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER:

Section 1. That the Council of the City and County of Denver recognizes Clinica Tepeyac for providing affordable, high quality, accessible and culturally responsive health care to our most vulnerable residents.

Section 2. That the Clerk of the City and County of Denver shall attest and affix the seal of the City and County of Denver to this proclamation and that copies be transmitted to Clinica Tepeyac.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL October 14, 2019

 _____ PRESIDENT